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Sir:

The references listed below, copies of which are attached, may be material to examination of the above-identified patent application. Applicant submits these references in compliance with his duty of disclosure pursuant to 37 CFR §§1.56 and 1.97. The Examiner is requested to make these citations of official record in this application.

1. U. S. patent No. 4,205,092, 1980, to Mattick et al.
2. U.S. patent No. 4,499,117. 1085, to Bonneau.
3. U.S. patent No. 4,617,127, 1986, to Light.
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5. German patent No. DE 4,137,572, 1992.
6. European patent No. 162,240.
7. European patent No. 089,893.
8. European patent No. 460,339.
9. French patent No. 245,396.
10. German patent No. 204,493.

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